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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5th, 1886.

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FURNITURE SALE.

ARRIVALS. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by August 4, Kong Beng, British steamer, 860. Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET Public Auction. R. Jones, Bangkok 29th July, Rice. - YUEN THIS DAY, FAT HONG. the 5th instant, at 2 o'clock P.M., at the BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN Quarters of Mr. J. C. Lyon, No. 1, August 4, ELERTRA, Austro-Hungarian str., EXPORT PALE ALE. AND THE COLONIES. 2,095, T. Mahorcich, Trieste 7th June, and Police Station, East Point, THE WHOLE OF HIS Singapore 30th July, General.-AUSTRO-SPARKLING and LIGHT. a most refreshing THE BANK receives money on Deposit HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE HUNGABIAN LLOYD S. N. Co. Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues Comprising :-Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, CRETONNE COVERED CHAIRS and August 4, Japan, British steamer, 1,865, T. S. SUMMER DRINK. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business COUCHES, MIRROR, PICTURES, TA-Gardner, Calcutta 18th July, Sand Heads generally on terms to be had on application. BLES, IRON BEDSTEAD with SPRING 19th, Penang 25th, and Singapore 29th, MATTRESS, WARDROBES, WASHSTAND, FIRST CLASS MEDALS, Opium and General,-DAVID, SASSOON APPROVED CLAIMS SIDEBOARD, CHAIRS, &c., &c. ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION Sons & Co. PURCHASED ON ADVANTAGE. A COTTAGE PIANO. August 4. WINGSANG, British steamer, 1.530. SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. OUS TERMS, viz: A JINRICKSHA. St. Croix, Calcutta vid Straits 18th July, 75 per Cent. ex 1st Dividend. equal to 871 per Cent, for whole Claim. Opium and General.—JARDINE, MATHESON MEDALS TERMS as usual. . H. A. HERBERT, "Visayas," and "Estrella" under the Angel Ortiz Cession to the late Firm of Messrs. & Co. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., PARIS AND VIENNA. Manager, Hongkong Branch. August 4, B. H. Steenken, German brig, 235, Hongkong, 6th July, 1885. Hongkong, 4th August, 1885. Chas. Meyer, Singapore 21st July, Man-Sele Importers: groveBark.-MELCHERS & Co. HONGKONGESHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION. with the Undersigned. INSURANCES. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. ULEARANCES. CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 30th May, 1885. INSURANCE COMPANY. 4TH AUGUST. RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF ) COTT IRANO" 400,000. LELLY AND WALSH, LIMITED, C. D. Bryant, Amr. bark, for Hoilo. DIVIDENDS ..... ESTABLISHED 1805. NEW BOOKS AND NEW EDITIONS. Columbus, German ship, for Ilcilo. RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-7,500,000. The Congo and the Founding of its Free PRIETORS .... Signal, German str., for Holhow. THE Undersigned having been appointed State, by Henry M. Stanley- ? Vols. Agents for the above Company are pre-Ingraban, German str., for Suigon. Boulger's Central Asian Question s. COURT OF DIRECTORS:pared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire Athell, British str., for Swatow. Sleight of Hand-A Manual of Legerdemain. Chairman-Hon. F. D. Sassoon. on the usual torms. Forbes' A Naturalist's Wanderings in the Deputy Chairman-A. McIver, Esq. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. DEPARTURÉS. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. | E. E. Sassoon, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. | W. H. Forbes, Esq. Eastern Archipelago Hongkong, January, 1882. Siam and Loos by American Missionaries. August 4. GLENORCHY, British str., for London. H. Hoppius, Esq. Leoky's Wrinkles in Navigation -- New and O. D. Bottomley, Esq. M. Grote, Esq. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE Hon. W. Koswick A. P. McEwen, Esq. Undersigned. Enlarged Edition. ASSURANCE COMPANY. PASSENGERS. Lownder Law of Marine Insurance, 1885 Ed. CHIEF MANAGER. Haswell's Pocket Book-Now Ed. Enlarged. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. THE Undersigned having been appointed . ARRIVED. Hongkong, 18th July, 1885. Policik's Modern Ship-Building. Per Kong Beng, str., from Bangkok .- Mr. Agents for the above Company, are Possoh's From Keel to Truck. prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. Smith, and 80 Chinese. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK. George Eliot's Life-Franklin Square Series. Per Elektra, str., from Trieste, &c.-220 Chi-John Bull and his Island-Sea Side Library. PUSTAU & Co. nese, from Slugapore. John Bull's Neighbour—Sea Side Library. Germinal by Zola—(in French). HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. Per Wingsang, str., from Calcutta, &c.-180 Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. On Current Deposit Account at the rate o per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. Nordenfeldt on the Machine Gun: Per Japan, str., from Calcutta, &c. - Mrs. T. S. TRANSATLANTICFIRE INSURANCE OL Fixed Deposits :-Edmund Yates-Recollections & Experiences. Gerdner, Mr. and Mrs. P. Bagram, Messrs. De-COMPANY OF HAMBURG. Lourre's Catochism of the Steam Engine. For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. pent sy, M. Z. Martin, E. Benjamin, and 384 For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. Pattern Making. Chinese, 19 Natives, and 5 Europeans, deck. The Undersigned, having been appointed For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. Cassell's Popular Gardening-2 Vols. Agents for the avove Company, are prepared to Gordon's Electricity and Magnetism - 2 Vols. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current TOOR THE CONVENIENCE OF REPORTS. Symond's Italian By-Ways. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange Rates. Lees' Laws of Shipping and Insurance. The British steamer Wingsang reports from SIEMSSEN & Co., business transacted. Arnould on Marine Insurance. Calcutta via Straits on the 18th July, and had Rae's The Country Banker-His Clients Agents. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chies Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. moderate monsoon. commercial places in Europe, India, Australia Cares and Work. America, China and Japan.
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Max Muller's Biographical Essays. The British steamer Japan reports left Cal-KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE cutta on the 18th July, Sandheads on the 19th Hongkong, 28th February 1885. and Singapore on the 29th. Experienced light [ 24] INSURANCE COMPANY. S.W. monsoon and fine weather throughout. NOTICE. BREWER has just received HE Undersigned, Age: The British steamer Kong Beng reports left pany, are authorized to MSURE against TOULES OF THE HONGKONG Bangkok on the 29th July, and had S. and S.W. Swoot Caporal Cigarettes. FIRE at Current Rates. SAVINGS BANK. winds, from light to fresh and fine weather from GILMAN & Co. Pule Obi to Ladrones: from thence to port hard La Favorita Cigarettés. Hongkong, 1st January 1882. 1.—The business of the above Bank will be squalls, heavy rain, and dirty weather. conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Entre Nous Cigarettes. TIEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE Banking Corporation, on their premises in Sport Cigarettes. Hongkong, Business hours on week-days, 10 SHANGHAI SHIPPING. COMPANY. Sportsman's Caporal Cigarettes. to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1. hour's notice. LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at 22. Glamorganshire, British str., from N'saki. Solitaire Cigarettes. Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policyone time will not be received. No depositor 23. Kiang-teen, Amr. str., from Ningpo. 1,000 Cheap Summer Reading including the may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. holders and apportionments are made annually. 23. Benalder, British str., from Nagasaki. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 23. Hiroshima Maru, Jao, str., from Japan. following very popular Books:-31st DECEMBER, 1883. \$100 or more at their credit may at their option 23, Cardiganshire, British str., from N'saki. transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-£11,379,944. Accumulated Funds 23, Kiang-kwan, Amr. str., from Hankow. Bootles Baby 100th 1,000. hai Banking corporation on fixed deposit for Surplus over all liabilities 23. Ningpo, British str., from Hongkong. 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest.
4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per Adrian Vidal (now publishing in Graphic). 23, Kung-pai, Amr. str., from Nowohwang. 23, Ascalon, British str., from Hankow. and Reserve Fundaccord-£ 2,139,338. ing to valuation made by ... Lord Beaconsfield's Letters, &c., &c., &c. annum will be allowed to Depositors on their 24. Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. the Government.... Large Photographs of Fashionable Beauties. | daily balances. 24, Fooksang, British str., from Hongkong. Income for year 1883..... £ 2,717,599. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis 24. Nanzing, British str., from Foochow. C. SETON LINDSAY. A Fine Organ, by Estey. with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with 25, Ching-wo, British str., from London. Res. Manager. each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must Quantities of American Novelties. Hongkong, Sth May, 1885. 25. Kiang-teen, American str., from Ningpo. Department of the East not make any entries themselves in their Pass-25. Shanghai, British str., from Hankow. BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co., W. BREWER, Queen's Road. Books, but should send them to be written up 25, Wha-on, British str., from Sheipoo Roads. Agents, Hengkong. os at least twice a year, about the beginning of 25, Newchwang, British str., from Tientsin. UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL. January and beginning of July. 26, Ichang, British str., from Ningpo.  $\mathbf{C}^{\mathtt{AFE}}$ 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank TUITION. THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE 26. Hae-an, American str., from Tientsin. 26, Chihaya Maru, Jap. bark, from K'notzu. TAR. WILLIAM SWEETMAN, Teacher · COMPANY. Business is forwarded free by the various ESTABLISHED 1825. 26, Hector, British str., from Liverpool. of LANGUAGES, will be glad to receive British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 26, Benarty, British str., from Nagasaki. PUPILS. Under his new system Mr. SWEET-7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, Accumulated Funds 31st Dec., 1884 ... £ 6,466,527 26, Melbourne, French str., from Hongkong. MAN can impart a fair knowledge of any but the personal attendance of the Depositor or Annual Revenue ... 26, Sin Nanzing, British str., from Tientsin. European Language within three months. his duly appointed Agent, and the production of Subsisting Assurances Do. 26. Seewo, British str., from Amoy. Arrangements are now being made to form his Pass-Book are necessary. The Undersigned having been appointed 26, Primanguet, French corv., from P'eadores. DAY and EVENING CLASSES. Agents in Hongkong for the above Company English Patent Table with Pockets, only one in are prepared to receive proposals for LIFE S A I G O N. For the Hongsong and Shanghai Bank-26. Taiwo, British str., from Hankow. MB. SWEETMAN undertakes Translations ING CORPOBATION, 27, La Galissonniere, Fr. i.-c., from P'cadores in all European Languages and offers his Ser-T. JACKSON, ASSUBANCE. 27. Glenearn, British str., from London. vices as Interpreter. Chief Manager. Policies will be issued immediately on 27, Amigo, German str., from Swatow. Terms strictly moderate. Acceptance of Risks by the Board of Directors Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. 27. Wenchow, British str., from Tientsin. Apply to in Shanghai. 27. Sea Swallow, British bark, from Nagasaki. COLLEGE CHAMPERS, THE BORNEO CO, LIMITED. 27, Vipere, French g-bt., from Amoy. INSURANCES. Wyndham Street. Hongkong, 30th June, 1885. 27, Rory, British str., from Port Arthur. Hongkoug, 1st August, 1885. 27, Hae-shin, Amr. str., from Sharp Peak. THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE FORNIA. 8, Kiang-yu, Ame. sir., from Hankow. LIMITED. COMPANY, LIMITED. COMPANY, LIMITED. 28, Kiang-teen, American str., from Ningpo. 28. Cito, German str., from Tientsin. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Undersigned having been appointed 28, El Dorado, British str., from Tientsin. HEAD OFFICE—SINGAPORE. Agents for the above Company, are pre-28, Chi-yuan British str., from Taku. NINETEENTH ORDINAR pared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE We are prepared to GRANT POLICIES MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in 28, Heyer, German str., from Nagasaki. RISKS to all parts of the World, at current against FIRE on usual Terms at Current 28, Breconshire, British str., from Nagasaki. the above Company will be held at the Head Rates. All Contributors of Business whether 29. Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Shareholders or not are sutitled to Share in 29, Ban-jo. Japanese g-bi., from a cruise. 10th August, at 4 O'CLOCK P.M., for the pur-[860 | the Bonus. Hongkong, 5th November, 1883. No. 4, D'Aguilar Street. 29, China, German str., from Swatow. pose of presenting the Report of the Directors ADAMSON, BELL & Co., DEPARTURES. and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, NOTICE. Agonts. 22. Benclutha, British str., for Hankow. and of declaring dividends. Hongkong, July, 1885. 23, Yoritomo Maru, Jap. str., for Kuchinotzu The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company TITHE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-23, Taku, British str., for Chefoo. will be CLOSED from the 28th instant to the PANY, LIMITED, THE LONDON ASSURANCE 23. Tientsin, British str., for Tientsin. Is prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS 10th Proximo, both days inclusive. 23, Peking, British str., for Hongkong. By Order, RISKS at 1 % nett per Annum, and other In-INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS 23, Fidelie, German str., for Newshwang. W. H. RAY, SUBANCES at Current Rates. MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST. 23, Kiang-teen, American str., for Ningpo. AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China A.D. 1720. 23, Glamorganshire, British str., for Wuhu. Hongkong, 20th July, 1885. and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang, 24. Baikal, Rus. str., for Wladivostock. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK and the Philippines. TITHE Undersigned having been appointed 24. Changking, British str., for Chefoo. Agents for the above Corporation, are JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. 24, Glenorchy, British str., for London. COMPANY, LIMITED. prepared to grant Insurances as follows:--Secretary. 24, Hideyoshi Maru, Jap. str., for K'notzu. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. MARINE DEPARTMENT. Hongkoug, 27th March, 1882. 24. Kowshing, British str., for Tientsin. Policies at current rates, payable either here, Pautah, American str., for Tientsiu. THENIX FIRE OFFICE THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY in London, or at the principal Ports of India, 24. Yuen Wo. British etr., for Hankow. MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS China, and Australia. 24. Duburg, German str., for Tientsin. will be held in the Offices of the Company No. The Undersigned are now prepared to 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 17th GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE DEPARTMENT. 24, Kung-pai, Amr. str., for Tientsin. Policies issued for long or short periods at 24, Tchang, British str., for Ningpo. August, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving FIRE at the following Rates:-25, Kiang-yung, American str., for Hankow. 25, Yorkshire, British str., for New York. current rates. the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of On First-class European LIFE DEPARTMENT: Accounts to 30th June, 1885. at 1 Not per Annum. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, 25, Kaisar-i-Hind, British str., for Hongkong The TRANSFER BOOKE of the Company On First-class Godowns. 25, Kiang-teen, American str., for Ningpo. at reduced rates. will be CLOSED from the 3rd to 17th August, & Merchandise stored HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Sons, Arbroath. 26. Hiroshima Maru, Jap. str., for Nagasaki. at 1 % Net per Annum. both days inclusive. Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. 26. Ngankin, British str., for Hankow. By Order of the Board of Directors, . at 1 % Not per Annum. 26, Ningpo, British str., for Hongkong. Hongkong, January, 1867. D. GILLIES. On Petroleum in li-ONDON ASSURANCE 26. W. C. de Vries. British str., for Hankow. censed Godowns .....at 13 % Net per Annum. Secretary. Hoang-ho, Danish bark, for Newchwang. CORPORATION (LIFE). [1342] On First-class Chinese Hongkong, 22nd July, 1885. Nanzing, British str., for Feechow. Tenoments .......at 2 % Net per Annum. REDUCTION OF EASTERN RATES. Fooksang, British str., for Hongkong. NOTICES OF FIRMS. On Second-class Chinese 26, Ascalon, British str., for London. Tenements ......at 21 % Net per Annum. POLICIES issued on the SPOT for any sum up 27, Ichang, British str., for Ningpo. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., to £5,000. Example:--Agents for Phonix Fire Office.

號五月八英春香 三坪橋 INTIMATIONS. COMPANIA NAVIERA DE FILIPINAS

BY Order of the Board of Directors the Shareholders of the above Company as also those of the Usufruct, &c., Scrip of the Spanish Steamers "Luzon," "Visayas," and "Estrella" under the Angel Ortiz Cession to the late Firm of Messrs. BIRCHAL, ROBINSON & Co. are requested to attend a GENERAL MEETING to be held at the Office of the Agents, Messrs. Macheon & Co., Manila, at 4 P.M. on the 26th day of August Proximo. The Object of the meeting is special. DUNN, MELBYE & Co.

COMPANIA NAVIERA DE FILIPINAS. WITH the Object of Revising the Share List of the above Company as also the List of Holders of the Usufruct, &c., Scrip of the Spanish Steamers "Luzon,"

BIRCHAL, ROBINSON & Co., Hongkong Shareholders are requested to communicate By Order of the Board of Directors, DUNN, MELBYE & Co. Hongkong, 29th July, 1885.

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General Agents. Hongkong, 28th July, 1885.

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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship

"WINGSANG." having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 10th instant, will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 4th August, 1885.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY FROM TRIESTE, ADEN, BOMBAY, CO-LOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE

HE Steamship "ELEKTRA." having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods. with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns known as "The Hongkong Wharf and Godowns," Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained.

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods sent in to the undersigned BEFORE NOON, ON THE 10TH INSTANT. OR THEY WILL NOT BE

BECOGNISED. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any [1315. goods remaining in the Godowns after the 10th stant, will be subject to rent O. BACHRACH.

> Houghong, 4th August, 1885. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. HE Steamship

CUSTOMERS, the Productions of the having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send ; countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside. Cargo impeding discharge will be at one

larded and stored at Consignees' risk and ex-Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately as none will be entertained after the 13th instant. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Shanghai, 4th August, 1885. TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "SARPEDON," FROM LIVERPOOL.

CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 8th inst., [1263 for shipment per steamer "TELEMACHUS." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 4th August, 1885.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer SALOON is attached to this Establish are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Gogive it a trial. Every satisfaction is guaranteed. downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will 894 lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready

for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after Goods undelivered after the 10th instant, will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & CWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 4th August, 1885.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS PC 3TE FRANCAIS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. ONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading

to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex "Sagnalien." S & C Nos. 963/968-6 Bales Blankots, Order

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 31st July, 1885.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND-MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the Rate of 7 PER CENT., or \$5.25 PER SHARE, declared at the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MRETING of SHARPHOLDERS held This Day, will be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION On and after TO-MORROW P.M. (Saturday), the 1st August.
Shareholders are requested to apply at the

T. ARNOLD, Secretary. Hongkong, 31st July, 1885.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HARRY SMITH PARKES, Knight Companion of the Most Honourable Order THE Company's Steamship of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of SAINT Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Emperor of China, Deceased.

[20] NOTICE is hereby given that all Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of the said Sir HARRY SMITH PARKES, who died in Peking, in the Empire of China, on the 22nd | THE Company's Steamship day of March, 1885, and Letters of Administration to whose Estate were granted by the

Jurisdiction, to the Undersigned, one of the SATURDAY, the 9th inst.

Executors named in the Will of the Deceased, For Freight or Passage, ap are hereby required to send in writing to the Undersigned, on or before the 31st day of October, 1885, the full Particulars of their Claims or Demands. And Norice is hereby also given that as soon as possible after the expiration of the period INVENTS IN HONGKONG AND THE above mentioned, the Undersigned will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Sir HARRY

SMITH PARKES, Deceased, amongst the Notice and that he will not be liable for the Assets or any part thereof so distributed to any Person or Persons, of whose Claim or Claims he shall not have had Notice at the time of the distribution. All Persons INDEBTED to the Estate are requested to make immediate Payment to the

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NOTICE

TO TRADESPEOPLE AND OTHERS. TF the Public suffer the SOLDIERS in this Garrison to CONTRACT DEBTS, such DEBTS will not be Discharged. This applies to all Non-Commissioner

OFFICERS and PRIVATE SOLDIERS whether employed by Departments or otherwise. . W. F. DUNDONALD COCHRANE, Major,

Brigade Major.

Brigade Office Hongkong, 3rd August, 1885. have left the Godowns, and all claims must be SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

THIS Company desires to engage as MANAGER for the HEAD OFFICE at Singapore a Gentleman with special knowledge of Fire Insurance Business. A preference will be given to one who has also had experience of MARINE INSURANCE. Applications may be addressed to the Acting Secretary, Exchange Buildings, Singapore, or

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 5th August, 1885. HONGKONG & SUANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 24th day of August Current, at 3 o'CLOCK P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of, Directors together with a Statement of Accounts o 30th June, 1885. By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 5th August, 1885. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. NTOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS OF SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th August Current (both days

inclusive), during which period No Transfer OF SHARES can be Registered. By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON. Chief Manager: Hongkong, 5th August, 1885.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Chefoo, Tientsin, Newchwang, Han-Row and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) THE Company's Steamship

"FOOMSANG," Captain Hogg, will he despatched as above TO DAY, the 5th instrut, at FOUR P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 5th August, 1885.

FOR BANGKOK DIRECT. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Company's Steamer

"DANUBE," Captain J. Newton, will be despatched for the above Port TO MORROW, the 6th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Hongkong, 4th August, 1885

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. THE Company's Steamship

" DIAMANTE," Captain Stack, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 6th instant, at Five For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 4th August, 1885 OUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWOHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGINGE.)

"SARPEDON." MICHAEL and SAINT GROBGE, lately Her Captain Chrimes, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 7th inst., at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 5th August, 1885.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON YIA SUEZ CANAL.

"HECTOR." Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate Captain Batt, will be despatched as above on For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 5th August, 1885. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates or Ningpo, Chefoo, Newchwang, Tientsin, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE). THE Company's Steamship

"TELEMACHUS," Captain Jones will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 11th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWEET Hongkong, 4th

CHOICE PORCELAIN WARE, DINNER -AND DESSERT SERVICES, CURIOS, FURNITURE, &c., &c. CASSUMBHOY. Opposite City Hall.

27. Ban-jo, Japanese g-bt., for a cruise. 27, Wha-on, British str., for Sheipoo Roads.

28, Sin Nanzing, British str., for Chefoo. 28, Newchwang, British str., for Tientsin. 28, Kiang-kwan American str., for Hankow. 28, Hae-an, American str., for Chefco. 28, Diomed, British str., for London. 28, Wenchow, British str., for Tientsin. 28, Kiang-teen, American str., for Ningpo. 28. Rambler, British sur.-ves., for a cruise. 29, Amigo, German str., for Chefoo. 29, See-wo, British str., for Amoy. 29. Shanghai, British str., for Hankow. 29. Susser, British str., for Chinkiang. 29. Ichang, British str., for Ningpo.

29, El Dorado, British str., for Tientsin. 29, Rory, British str., for Tientsin. 29, Chi-yuen, British str., for Wuhu. 29, Cristoforo Colombo, It. cor., for Nagasaki. VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA.

(Per last Mail's Advice.)

Archises (a.).....Shanghai ......June 20 John C. Munro ..... Hong rong ....... June 20 Pax .....June 22

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INTIMATIONS.

NOTICE. FULL Business of the FIRM of A. A. DE I MELLO & Co., at Macao, will be continued as heretofore under the management of NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE Mr. F. A. DA CRUZ, who is again duly authorised to Sign the FIRM per procuration. For A. A. DE MELLO & Co.,

Administratrix of the late Baron do Cercal's Macao, 9th July, 1885. NOTICE. BRANCH of our Figuret Pakhoi Branch of our Fiem at Pakhoi.

BARONESS DO CERCAL.

A. SCHOMBURG & Co. Heihow, 1st August, 1885. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. URING my absence from Hongkong Mr. C. D. HARMAN will not as Agent of

this Company at this Port.

· F. E. FOSTER, Agent. Hongkong, 30th July, 1885. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. URING my absence from Hongkong Mr. C. D. HARMAN will not as AGENT

of this Company at this Port. Hongkong, 30th July, 1885

BANKS. ORIENTAL BANK FIRE NEW CORPORATION, LIMITED.

> Hongkong, 5th August, 1881. COMPANY AT HAMBURG. TIHE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT IN- THE SCOTTISH UNION & NATIONAL

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-Hongkong.

CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000.

SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-

class risks at current rates.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN SANG, Esq. Yow CHONG PENG, Esq. BIN HUP. Esq. CHAN LI CHOY, ESQ. Q. HOI CHUNE, ESQ. The Company GRANTS POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are payable to all The Undersigned are prepared from this date Contributors of Business, whether they are to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the Shareholders or not. . WOO LIN YUEN,

HEAD OFFICE,

Hongkerg, 14th March, 1881.

No. 2, Queen's Road West,

Secretary.

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Hongkong, 1st July, 1885.

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Hongkong, 20th May, 1881,

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and address with communications addressed to the Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good All letters for publication should be written on one

ide of the paper only. ordered for a fixed period will be continued until countermanded.

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Honekone, August 5th, 1885.

able and conscientious official, but, we ven- likely to increase, it will probably experience ture to assert, also a grave diplomatic blun- no very great falling off in the future. der. In charity to Mr. O'Conon, we can only suppose that he has not sufficiently grasped the facts of the case or realised all Maritimes steamer Natal, with the next outward the consequences for the future of his act. French mail, left Saigon at 5 p.m. on Monday for this port. It may be no great grief to Mr. Giles to be relieved of such a disagreeable post and such a thankless office as that which has the 20th ult. bound to Chinkiang, to load rice for just been conferred on Mr. PLATFAIR, but Canton, for the sufferers by the floods in the 'his removal at the present moment can only be regarded by the Chinese Authorities in one light, namely, a confession that Mr GILES was in the wrong in his differences Chinese experiences will shortly be given to the with Mr. HUANG, and a concession to their representations. Now, Mr. Gines was either right or wrong in the course he pursued at the Mixed Court. The records, as published, show that he interfered, time and again, to prevent gross injustice being perpetrated and though it may be conceded that the manner of his interference was not always so prudent, it was never unnecessary or unwarranted. That he occasionally showed south of Shanghai and is now proceeding north. some irritation is perfectly true, but the ward through Northern China. The barometer meekest of men would have been exasperated has risen. The temperature has fallen and the by the mingled arrogance, ignorance, and of the centre of the typhoon." prejudice displayed by the Chinese Solon at the Mixed Court. Mr. Gries had a duty to Officers' Mess to-day, the 5th inst., commencing perform, and when he found every remonstrance he made met by the most overbearing Fostival Merch "Charlemagne" ....... Oberthur and unreasonable opposition he not unnatural. | Cajus Animam "Stabat Mater ly fest approved. British Assessors are but not exhaustless. In principle, as we have said, he was invariably right, and it was the duty of the British Representative at Peking died at Labuan after a long illness. He was to uphold him. If it occurred to the Charge greatly respected among most of his compatriots d'Affaires that a gentleman possessing a more placed temperament, whose love of fair- cessor to him endowed with the same qualificaplay would not be so quickly outraged by ec- tions. His unselfishness is shown by the property centric and unjust decisions, would be better suited for the post of Assessor at the Mixed Court, even then he should have been careful not to translate Mr. Gills immediately, and then only when a chance of promoting him occurred. To remove him at this juncture is a weak concession to the Chinese Ge- beam, and rather less draught of water, and they The other witnesses were Hopkins, the second verument, an admission that the interference of the British Assessor was carried too far. If the Assessor is to be a nonentity, and not to light, &c. They are expected in Hongkong in be allowed to protest against a misenrriage September and October respectively. The Araof justice, then by all means let the office be abolished, and rely on the discretion, the fair- names, which have probably been sold. ness, and the impartiality of the Chinese magistrate. The newly appointed magistrate. Mr. Lo, will take his seat at the Mixed Court with the knowledge that the late Assessor further gone through the perfectly unnecessary -was removed because be did not make himself agreeable to Mr. Huang. How this like China, will recognize that the nation which fact is likely to influence his conduct of the crows loudest often yields the easiest. On hearbusiness of the Court may be guessed; it ing of the incident the Italian Consul is said to certainly cannot conduce to the dignity or influence of the Assessor. The Shanghai about a dozen times according to French descommunity are naturally indignant at the Patches. action of Mr. O'Conog, both on account of the injustice done to Mr. Gills and of the bad moral effect it must have on the Chinese Authorities. It is the duty, as well as the occupation of Mr. Lemon as a boarding house, the policy, of British and all foreign Con- and which the applicant, if his petition is grantsular officials to treat Chinese mandarins justices present were Messrs. H. E. Wodehouse, with courtesy, but they ought not to be ex. E. Mackean, and Capt. W. M. Deane. The appected to submit to be trodden upon, and few foreigners will find much fault with Mr. | the securities he offered were Mesers. E. Cas- | the earrings and his cont to the second prisoner, GILES for showing a little natural indigna sumbhoy and Nam Ying, of the Wing Hing shop, who ran off with them in another direction. tion at the manner in which his protests at 23, Hing Lung-street. The ponce report on two or three streets, by a lokang, and the second were invariably received by Mr. HUANG. That official has been removed, and we doubt not Mr. CILES would have been able to get on better with his successor, who is hardly licensed would have to be cautioned as to the

THE Opium trade in China is not likely to be

likely to turn out equally incompetent.

wrong-beaded, and uncivil.

rian crop this season will probably have some influence on the demand for Indian opium if the Shansi supply does not make up for the deficiency. It seems, according to a correspondent of the N. C. Daily News, By Appointment to His Excellency the Go- that there has been a striking increase of the area under poppy cultivation in that province during the past year. His Excel- painful as it is for me to do so, I must-write lency Chang Chin-Tune, when Governor of Shansi, did his utmost to suppress the growth of opium, but it now flourishes un- woman whom my wife and I engaged in Hongconcealed, his successor in office probably legalised by taxing the drug, it is vain to fellow passenger with us from Hongkong to can be no objection to him." attempt to check its cultivation. Anyhow it Singapore was represented to us as being evidently daring longer to hold before the either from my wife or me, neither did she ever pany in Macao, and I have no doubt that their purchase a quantity of goods from the plaintiffs : growers the terrors of prohibition. The best check upon its wide-spread cultivation will bott, having occasion to leave our cabin where now be, doubtless, the heavy duty, when if it can still compete with the foreign drug the Government will be glad to see it oust the said, to have a bath. On Mrs. Abbott's returnlatter from the field. But this is not likely to happen soon. The Chinese opium is vet a long distance behind its foreign rival in senger whose cabin was close to curs to have an quality, and will not easily supplant it exaddressed "The Editor," and those on business "The capt on the question of crat. Of course the duty levied on the native drug is only half of that which the new Convention authorises on the foreign opium, but the latter is immeasurably superior in flavour and quality. and must continue to command a sale among all well-to-do smokers in spite of Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not its enhanced price. If the two varieties were to stand on their own merits then the demand for Indian drug would sustain no diminution; if, however, the foreign article is to be heavily handicapped from a desire on the part of the Chinese officials to exclude it from the country, some decline must soon be apparent in the demand. Perhaps, though, as one chest of foreign opium will, under present circumstances, yield as much as two of native drug, we think no active effort will be made to kill the trade with THE removal of Mr. H. A. GILES from the India. The import of foreign opium into post of British Assessor at the Shanghai China has been practically stationary during Mixed Court is not only a great slight on an the past three years, and though it is not

The Agent informs us that the Messageries

The Rising Sun says that the steamer Glamorganshire took her departure from that port on

Mr. A. R. Colquhoun, after a brief visit to Simls, proceeded to Bombay, and left for England on the 15th July. It is probable that his world in book form, and the book ought certainly to be one of aposial interest.

We are requested to publish the following subscription in addition to the

Amount previously soknowledged ... Cheung Sau Sit, Esq., Batavia...

The Government Astronomer, under date 4th August, says :- "It appears that the typhoon after turning north-westward struck the coast humidity is high. Heavy rain has fallen south

The Band of "The Buffs" will play at the at 8 p.m. The following is the programme:-

A Java paper says:-On the 6th July, Chew Choo Jen, captain Chinaman in Deli since 1881 for his impartiality and freedom, from secret society ties, and it will be difficult to find a suche left barely amounting to \$25,000, though opportunities for enriching himself were not lack-

and Oriental Steamship Company have charter- named Andreas Engbreggsen, also a seaman of ed, from the White Star Line, the two new steamships Belgie and Gaelie. These ships are of the seeing the fight between Connel and Luzare, and same length as the Ocsanic, but with a foot more to seeing Connel thrust the knife into Lazares To Major J. C. Watton, will carry 400 tons more cargo than that vessel. The two new steamers have beautiful cabin accommodation, and are fitted up with the electric tic returns to England."—These new steamers: we presume, replace the old ones of the same

It appears (says the Piencer) that M. Hass. the French Consul at Mandalay, after hanghtily announcing that he would not take off his boots before King Theebaw, not only did so, but has humiliation of going shoeless to the house of a Minister, the Kin Woon Minghie. Burmah now, have telegraphed home: "Mentana is avenged."
In the same way Waterloo has been avenged

A special meeting of the Licensing Justices was held at the Magistracy yesterday morning to consider an application for a licence for a house at No. 204, Queen's-road Central, now in ed, proposes to call the Hotel D'Europe. plicant was a man named C. Shaplere, described as now residing at 94, Queen's-road Central, and at 23, Hing Lung-street. The police report on The prisoner was caught, after a chase through piere came to this colony from Bombay, having kept a hotel there one year, and having kept a sequence of information supplied, and the world as British Assessor at the Mixed Court. hotel at Calcutta two years. The applicant was man's earrings were found in his possession at Lo, the magistrate-designate who is to relieve agents, Messrs. Morris & Co., Shanghai, on the from their beds and rocking the upper storeys of cannot do so. Nations cannot stand up be staying at a restaurant of low repute, and if the time. management of the place. The applicant was told to renew his application at the annual meeting of the justices.

The inquest on the body of the man who shot | year's hard labour. himself in a coffee shop in Cochrane-street last very seriously affected by the new Conven- Thursday morning was resumed at the Magistion signed the other day unless the Chinese tracyyesterdaymorning by Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, layer, were charged with robbing with violence Government are determined to foster the pro- Maclean, L. Downes, and L. A. Roza, as jury. jacket, value \$3, on the 25th ult. duction of the native drug. This seems Adolpho Maria Perpetue, the keeper of the coffee The complainant, who is a recent arrival in to those who are waiting for their cargo and ment of accounts for the half year ending the Slat hardly likely, however, for in March, 1884; shop, said he did not know the deceased and had the colony, said he was walking on the Praya cannot get it, and when they do it is more or the export duty on the home-grown product mises. Lan Alai, the cook, was re-called, but 25th, when he was set upon by a number shipped so many times. Surely it is time some was raised from Tls. 15 to Tls. 30. The she added nothing material to her previous evid- of ruffians, among whom were the two pri- steps were taken to have the ships brought up Peking Authorities look for a long re- ence. Sergeant Hennessy stated that people had soners, the first of whom seized him by the to Shanghai, thus saving further risk, trouble, had an opportunity of seeing the body, but no one throat and threw him down, the second cut his and large expenses to the Companies. - Courier. will no had identified it, nor had any one been reported purse and got his money out, while a third got Two Japanese sailors belonging to the Hironot be the missing. He had been unable to obtain any clue from him a woollen jacket he was carrying. They shime Mara took a walk in Hongkew on Saturas to the identity. The Coroner said it was very also tried to get a blanket he was carrying, but he day evening, the 25th ult., eating water melons, unsatisfactory to leave the case as it was, but he clung to it, and they decamped, leaving it in his and amused themselves by pelting Chinamen did not think it would be right to encroach fur- possession. His hand was cut in his efforts to with pieces of the rind. Some of the Chinese ther on the time of the jury. It seemed curious save his money. that a European should die in this way in the colony without its being possible to identify him, but they were arrested subsequently in conse- turbance, in which a Chinese constable interfered. after all the inquiries that had been made. He quence of information given to the police. They The Japanese ran away and made for their shin: hoped the police would continue their inquiries, were put among a number of other prisoner but the constable gave chase, and coming up coffee, which I am cortain will be very valuable. I here, and the whole of the crew of 80 cdd men, ensures the ultimate deliverance of nations so that something might be found out at last, but from whom the complainant picked them out with one of the men attempted to arrest him. as far as the jury was concerned, he thought there | without difficulty, was nothing more to be done. There was hardly One of the prisoners having a record of four policeman in the arm, inflicting a very severe any evidence that the deceased inflicted the wound previous convictions to his name, four of which wound. The police afterwards went on board

The Agents (Messrs, Siemssen & Co.) inform us that the D. D. R. steamer Lydia, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port yesterday.

The following letter from Mr. Abbott, dated Cashiebury House, Ware, Horts, June 11, referring to the dreadful tragedy on board the P & O: steamer Valetta, appears in an English paperse-"Sir.-My attention having been called to your article of the 9th instant, inexpressibly upon the subject of the terrible circumstances the death of my child, in order to correct erronequestatements which have been made. The kong as amah for our children on the strongth On the night of the terrible tragedy, Mrs. Abour two children were asleep in different bunks -for a few minutes, I remained outside the cabin door while the Chinese amah went, as sho ing to our cabin. I wished her to go with me to the saloon for a minute or two, which she did, after asking the English nurse of a fellow paseye to our children, and receiving her promise to do so. According to this English nurse's statement, immediately upon my wife and I leaving the vicinity of our cabin for the saloon, our Chinese amah, who must have been in hiding close by, watching, went into our cabin, was not seen to come out, and on our returning about two minutes afterwards we found one bank empty. My wife has always been a most anxious and watchful mother, and has ever been suspicious of the fair dealings of Chinese amaks, and this was the reason for the 'vigilant watch' referred to in your article. Hoping that in justice to my wife and me, and to the Japanese nation, you will insert this letter in a conspicuous part of your paper, I am yours faithfully .- R. J. ABBOTT."

KWANGTUNG INUNDATION FUND. The following subscriptions have been collected at Hoihow in aid of the sufferers by the recent

floods in Canton :--J. L. Avotoon & Co. Chinese Clerks Raing-chi Herton & Co. Chinese Clerks Native sympathisers (coolles, &c.) ..

SUPREME COURT

4th August. IN BANKRUPTCY.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE ACREOVO.

IN THE MATTER OF KWOK HING SHULL Mr. Mossop appeared for the bankrupt and Ir. Bowles for some of the creditors. Mr. Mossop applied for a week's further time for the bankrupt to prepare his account and said the court might possibly not be troubled with the case again as he had heard the creditors had met and were trying to make some arrangement with the bankrupt to allow him to start in

business again. Mr. Bowles did not oppose the application for an adjournment, but asked that the account

Adjourned until the 12th instant.

POLICE COURT.

August 4th. BEFORE Mr. E. MACKEAN.

THE "MARQUIS OF LORNE" HOMICIDE. barque Marquis of Lorne, was brought up, on remand, on the charge of having caused the death of Louis Père Lazare, a seaman of the same The evidence given was, with the exception of

that given at the inquest, which was held last Friday, and which was reported at the time. The Japan Herald says: -- "The Occidental | The other evidence was that of a fresh witness the Marquis of Lorns, who gave evidence to mate. Routh or Charley Fisher, a seaman, Gilmore, the boatswain, Dr. Marques, and the police. The prisoner reserved his defence, and he was committed to take his trial at the next Criminal

Sessions of the Supreme Court. THE WONG-NEI-CHEONG HOMICIDE. Sung Achau, gardener, was charged with having wilfully and maliciously killed one Li Afak, gardener, at Wong-nei-cheong, on the 9th

Inspector Swanston informed his Worship that communications were passing with the Government upon the case, and he applied for a

His Worship remanded the case to Saturday. Tsu Atah, coolie, pleaded guilty to a charge of tealing about ten cents' worth of iron rivets, the property of his employers, the Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company, at Hung Ham, on the 3rd inst., and he was sent to gaol for

BEFORE BOTH MAGISTRATES.

EARBING SNATCHING. Chung Ayau, coolie, and Leung Akong, fisherman, were charged with having stolen from the person of a woman named Chan Achun a pair of earrings, valued at \$10.20, on the 30th ult. The woman alleged that at 2 p.m. on the 30th ult. she was walking in Jervois-street, when the first prisoner came behind her and snatched her earrings. She ran after him, and saw him pass

two years' imprisonment with hard labour. The CHARGE OF GARROTTING

himself, though morally there was no doubt about | were for offences of a somewhat similar character | the steamer to arrest the man, but they were it.—The jury returned a verdict that the deceased to the present one, they were both committed obstructed by a Japanese quartermaster, while for trial at the Supreme Court.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinion expressed by our Correspondents.] THE RECENT MEETING OF THE

HONGKONG, CANTON, & MACAO'

STEAMBOAT COMPANY. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." Shareholders in the Steamheat Company held of Tls. 3,000 for not taking delivery of the baon 31st July last, escaped my notice at the time. night, I now beg to address you the present The plaintiffs did not appear, having signified correction to the statement contained therein, their willingness that the case should be decided that I said "that Mr. da Cruz is the best man," solely on the evidence of Mr. T. J. Macdonald, have planted out up to dita 959,000, and are dered precarious, by this swelling tide of of an excellent written character from a lady re- &c. My remark was that "I think Mr. Cruz is a former employe of the firm, through whom still busy planting. It is now July and in a armed men. Never has the military spirit considering that, the Government having sident of Singapore, and who happened to be a a proper person to represent the Company—there the contract had been made. The defendant month more we shall start on jungle felling for so dominated men as it does to-day With

Cantonese, not Japanese. She nover re Steamboat Company, I approve of the Directors called and asked to state the facts of the case is grown in the most open manner, no one coived any reprimand during the voyage, appointing Mr. Cruz to the agency of the Com. He said that the defendant had contracted to give vent to words of menace in our presence: action is considered satisfactory by most of the shareholders here.

-Mr. Cruz is known to be an upright man, and has done the agency work at Macaofor many years, during the time he was managing the firm of Messrs. A. A. de Mello & Co.; and probably on account of these services he received. his present appointment.—I am, Sir, your obedi-

J. B. GOMES, JR. Hongkong, 4th August, 1885.

THE OBSTRUCTIONS IN THE  $CANTON \ RIVER.$ 

The following copy of a letter on the above subject has been handed to us for publication:-Office of the Hougkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Company, Ld., Hongkong, 3rd August, 1885.

Sir.—I beg to address you upon the subject of the removal of the obstructions in the Canton These obstructions, especially torpedoes, are interfering very much with the movements of our steamers, and are, moreover, causing a heavy additional expense for torpodo pilotage, and, in the that they had no authority to sell the goods. case of the Powane nereased consumption of Daily News. coal through having to anchor at night.

As you will gather from the accompanying copy of a letter\* from H.B.M. Charge d'Affaires at Peking to the Vica-Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce at this port, instructions were sent on the 23rd of June for the immediate removal of obstructions at all the treaty ports. I have respectfully to request, on behalf of the Company which I represent, that you will use all nort winter. The fields are now beautified by the your influence with the high Chinese authorities at Canton to have the orders of the Tsung-li Yamen, as stated in the letter herewith, carried ont without further delay .- I have the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient servant, (Signes) E. R. BELILIOS.

Acting Chairman of the Hongkong. Canton, and Macan Steamboat Company, Limited.

O. T. Gardner, Esq., H.B.M. Consul, Canton.

\* The letter referred to appeared in our columns on the 30th alt.—En. D.P

NINGPO.

river with safety.

afforded to foreigners by H.E. the Taotoi dur- tion, and expressed the opinion that the man ing the late war, have, in a complimentary letter died a natural death, and he therefore ordered to Major Watson, Controller of Police, express the relatives to remove the body immediately. ed their appreciation of the course taken for the After some delay the Cha-haien's order was commaintainance of good order during the hostilities plied with, and it is hoped that the trouble is at Chinhai. May I trespass on your valuable over. Much gratitude is due to the promptness space by requesting the insertion of the follow- and justice of the magistrate. In the interior, ing letter, with reply:—
Ningpo, 6th July, 1885.

tive Residents of the foreign settlement of Mission, received a gratifying expression of ap-Ningpo, desire to express to you our high ap- preciation from the Chinese lately. The doctor Berkshire, has been raised to the poerage. preciation of the efficient services rendered to had successfully treated a clerk in one of the under your command, during the continuance of ed to commit suicide with opium. A few days hostilities between France and China. The stop- after, the leading member of the banking firm, Mr. Mossop undertook that this should be state of war, threw thousands of men out of em- gifts amounting to eighteen or twenty teels, and ployment, and these unemployed labourers, also a gorgeous tablet of red and gold, on which pressed by hunger and want, together with the his virtues were extelled with no unstinted hand: crowds of idlers and evilly-disposed persons that Messrs, Smith, Cassells, Branchamp, and are found in all large cities, made the outlook for | Heste, who held evangelistic meetings in Shangmuch dreaded are happily averted, we feel that dent. it is due to you and to the officers and soldiers under your command, to receive an expression of Thomas O'Connel seaman of the British our hearty appreciation of all that you have done for the peace and good order of this place. And it also gives us much pleasure to testify to the efficiency and good conduct of the military and abundance of rain; probably, indeed, some people police forces during those months of auxioty will be found complaining of its quantity. It and danger. And we feel under special obligations a fortnight ago in light showers sufficient the testimony of one witness, the same as tions to His Excellency the Taotai for his to keep in life what drought had not killed, but gnards of soldiers and police for the better pro- do not belie their appearance we have not yet tection of the foreign settlement. - We are, Sir, | had all we are to receive.

your obedient servants. of foreign and native residents.

Controller of Police, Ningpo. Kiangpean Police Station,

Ningpo, 21st July, 1885. Gentlemen.—I have the honour to acknow. expressing your appreciation of the efficient serduring the recent hostilities. In begging you to accept my best thanks for your valued ackowledgment of my services during the troubles at this port, I would add that the security and freeis especially due to H.E. the Taotai by the foredetaching an extra body of soldiers to aid my own force in policing the sottlement. The presence of the military force detached to co-operate with the police under my control, naturally entailed extra responsibility on this department, but the expression of your high appreciation of the manner in which the police have preserved order during a particularly anxious time, is, I assure you, adequate recognition on your part of my services. A translation of your letter will be submitted to H.E. the Taotai, that he may learn of your entire satisfaction with the efforts of the police force to protect the life and property of the residents in the settlement during the war.-I have the henour to be, Gentlemen, your obc-J. C. WATSON,

Controller of Police. -Mercury Correspondent.

SHANGHAI.

Mr. G. M. H. Playfair, under instructions prisoner was arrested by another lokang in con- from Her Majesty's Charge d'Affaires, will not the present acting official K'o at the Mixed 28th ult., when there were present Messrs. F. houses. Portions of 25 houses fell, but no loss The first prisoner had six previous convictions Court, has left his native city of Foochow, and Major (Chairman), J. Morris (Director), C. of life is yet reported. recorded against him, and he was sentenced to goes to Nanking to receive his appointment. second prisoner had not previously distinguished talk some time ago that after the prival of the The notice calling the meeting was read, and himself in that way, and he was sentenced to a steam dredger Anding at Shanghai, that it the minutes of the last ordinary and extrawould be a bad job for the Cargo boat and ordinary meetings were read and signed Lighter Company of this port. But I think I | The report of the Directors, and accounts Wong Afuk, coolie, and Keung Aping, brick- can venture to say, it has been better for them. for the balf-year ended December 31st, 1884, Why has the Bar not been dredged? What a were presented as follows :is not better understood. It is a great nuisance took umbrage at the indignity, and attempted The prisoners were not caught at the time, to avenge themselves, the result being a big diswhen the sailor drew a knife and stabbed the

his escape for the time. Afterwards represents- and the second call, of Tls. 2.50 per share, had tions were made to the Japanese Consul, and been paid on 1,627 shares. In addition to that, the stabber and the quartermaster were both taken into custody and lodged at their Consulate. They will probably be taken to Japan for trial The case of Roid, Evans & Co. v. Lien Yuch'eng was heard at the Mixed Court at 9 o'clock a.m. on the 29th July before his Worship K'o and Mr. Giles. The defendant is a piece-goods SIR, -Your report of the meeting of the dealer, and the case was a civil claim for upwards lance of a quantity of goods which the defendant but having had my attention drawn to it last had contracted to purchase from the plaintiffs. also agreed to be bound by Mr. Macdonald's next crop. As one of the largest shareholders of the evidence, and Mr. Macdonald was accordingly but when he had taken delivery of half the goods he became ill, and had to go to Ningpo. It was then agreed between the defendant and Mr. Macdonald that the completion of the contract should romain in abovanue until the defendant's return; and the remaining goods were therefore left in the gedowns. Shortly after this. Mr. Macdonald left the employment of Messrs. Reid, Evens & Co., and the firm, apparently not knowdelivery of, confiscated the bargain-money which had been paid by the defendant and sold off the February. Felling would cost \$1,500, so it would was the less on this transaction which they now | months, and see whether the present crop turned was produced on behalf of the plaintiffs, purporting to be signed by the defendant, and giving the plaintiffs authority to sell the romaining goods. The defendant denied that the signature

decided against the plaintiffs, the Court holding

The present year hids fair to be one of plenty in Shansi. The rains have been enough, but | ton. not too much, and the poor are congratulating themselves on the probable cheapness of flour carried. ing his governorship he never succeeded in eut they could get. If any shareholders had any tirely suppressing the growth of opium, but he questions to ask he would be happy to answer crowded it back into seeluded fields. This sam- them. mer, however, the farmers seem to make no at-Shansi a thoroughly hated man, and the greater | shares on which the calls had not been paid.

part of the Shansi population is, how to get legal manner. means to fill the opium pipe. at Tai-yuen Fu have just had an unpleasant and were answered by the Chairman, partly in them are skilled workmen trained at great cost, experience in connection with the work of the Chinese and partly through an interpreter. Daily communication between this port and opium refuge conducted by them. A patient Daily News. Shanghai has again been resumed, and, although unfortunately died in the hospital, whereupon no steps have been taken for the removal of the relatives of the deceased accused the misthe Barrier at Chinhai, there remains a channel, sionaries of foul play and domanded a large sum sufficiently wide to allow steamers to enter the of money, refusing also to remove the body until their demands were satisfied. The Che hsien lon and Indian papers: The community, fully alive to the protection was finally appealed to. He made an examina-

the death of a putient while under a foreigner's treatment may be a serious matter. Sir. We, the undersigned European and Na- Dr. D. E. Osborne, of the A. B. C. F. M this settlement by the military and police forces | leading banks of Tai-ku Hsien who had attempt. | Baronet. ing of all branches of business resulting from a the Doctor's residence and presented him with Baron Esher.

MOURDEN.

It is with great pleasure I have to announce

The need of ruin all over northern China Here follow the signatures of a number was very serious. A young man whose father isa mandarin in Szechuen was here not long ago. and reported that all along his route the country moving. was parched up. I am told that in the rich arricultural region of Kingchow in Lino-hei no. seed was sown in spring, as no showers had fallen. As far as I can learn, throughout the whole of Lian-tung, up to if not beyond Kirin, the barley ledge receipt of your very complimentary letter, and wheat crops are an utter failure. Earley in bearing the signature of the residents at this port, this neighbourhood grew to slightly more than a foot in height and then suddenly whitened, but vices of the police and military force placed under the grains were all black, and so useless that my order for the protection of the settlement they were left uncut till the ground had to be atilized for other purposes. I am informed that opinm is also a complete failure this year. It Pass. appears that on account of pressure on figures the growth of opinm was logalized last year by a dom from disturbances, which we have enjoyed. tax levied upon it, equal, it is said, to the tax on foreign opium. The revenue will gain little thought displayed and prompt action taken in this year. If this drug is legalized, what of Indian opium in other years when showers will

not fail as this year f The telegraph is likely to have a considerable share of attention in this province. Its working is so effective and convenient that it will be soon sent to touch Kores, so that we may have news. of what goes on there as soon as you in Shanghai. A short time ago our old acquaintance the "paper-man" was the subject of a great deal- of talk and trouble. People went about the street with a bit of red in their hair to save their tails from this "man's" evil sessors. I have not heard that many of the sprites got drowned in bowls of water laid as a trap for them on the window-sill, as was the case a few years ago: The epidemic spreads southwards, though it does not seem to have taken a very deep hold of the people.—N. O. Daily News Correspondent.

CHINESE SABAH LAND FARMING . COMPANY.

this Company was held at the offices of the Rivington, H. Sylva, Pereira, H. Ollerdessen, A correspondent writes: There was a great and Chinese, representing in all 1,177 shares.

> The directors' last report was issued on the 15th Mr. Ernest Major, the late Chairman, visited Company's estates in Borneo in January last. His search for the Renard-a fruitless one-not the the soldier, in a word, meditates on his own let report was read to the shareholders at the extraordinary general meeting, held on the 11th May, 1835.
> The reports of Mr. Gibson, the Manager of the Suanlamber Tobreco Estate, continue satisfactory. His last letter, dated the 21st June, 1885, stated:-"The tobacco is really growing beautifully now, and everything at present looks to promise a war, all being under the impression that the kindred than he had left. A system of this favourable result. I hope by the end of July to have Renard was safely and securely anchored in kind, it must be repeated, cannot endure. A finished planting with 2,000,000 trace. Immediately this year's tobacco crop comes off the ground I shall hale before undergrowth comes up, and plant out all this clearing with Liberian coffee. We shall then at came in here on the 15th, having found nothing. to be satisfied that the very height to which a very small extra expense have about 300 neres of Bosides the captain, who was exceedingly liked the fashion of standing armies is now carried

shall commence planting out the fine nurseries which

The directors submit to the shareholders a state-

I am going to bring over from the Sibooga." has left China, offer themselves for re-election. The CHAIRMAN stated that the first call, of are only a couple of the many wrecks caused by and uneasy. That of the trader likewise will be the man who had stabbed the constable made. The 7 per share, had been paid on 2,052 shares, the evolone.

there were many foreign shareholders, some of them in England, whom they expected to pay the the 3rd July, in which he said.

tobacco crop would not commence till about profitable portion of the remaining goods, leav. be necessary for them to decide whether they ing the unsaleable portion in the godowns. It would spend this \$1,500 or wait two or three claimed. In response to this statement, a paper out favourably enough to encourage them to do

Mr. Morais suggested that this should left to the Directors. The CHAIRMAN moved-"That the Directors'

recognised it as his son's who had no interest in the 31st December, 1834, he passed as presented. The CHAIRMAN said the Directors rotired ac-

> hundred and fifty millions of pounds. Mr. Death's place, Mr. Sylva moved-" That the Directors to serve until the next annual general meeting be extent of the strain upon the countries which lie Mesers, F. Major, J. Morris, Ching Lien Seen, under this terrible military domination. In Yau Chiun Chi, Wang Tso Chin and C. Riving-

Mr. Pereira seconded the motion, and it was The CHAIRMAN remarked that they were shillings per week. Taking our own home poppy blossoms. The increase in the cultivation doing all they could to make the present tobacco average at only three times this, or fifteen shilof the poppy this year is very striking. Shansi | crop a success; and it was generally acknowledged misses the stern rule of Chang Chih-tung. Dur- that they had in Mr. Gibson about the best man feels the weight of the English expenditure for

A Chinese shareholder asked what steps had to the same object. And not alone in the drafts tempt at concealment. Chang Chih-tung left | been taken with regard to the forfeiture of part of his unpopularity was due to his increas. The CHAIRMAN explained that Mr. Dowdall. ing the financial burdons of the opium-smokers | the Company's legal adviser, had been instructed by his partial suppression of the growth of the to take the necessary steps in order that the involve, on their peace footing, the withplant. The absorbing question with a great forfeiture might be carried out in a perfectly drawal permanently of more than

Numerous other questions were asked by Chi-

LATE TELEGRAMS.

We extract the following telegrams from Cey-BOYAL COMMISSION ON THE PRESENT DEPRESSION OF TRADE.

LONDON, 9th July. A Royal Commission will examine the present by the extent to which this side of the modern depression of trade. THE NEW THREE PER CENT. INDIAN LOAN. LONDON, 14th July

premium yesterday. MORE HONOURS. LONDON, 15th July.

The Lord Mayor of London has been made a LONDON, 16th July. The Master of the Rolls (Sir William Brett)

SUSPENSION OF AN IRISH BANK. The Munster Bank has suspended payment.

INDIAN APPOINTMENTS. our settlement, at the beginning of hostilities, hai last spring, have recently passed through |-- Sir Donald Stewart probably succeeds Sir truly gloomy. But we have passed through the Shansi on their way to Szechuen and Shensi. William Mair on the Indian Council in Octo- days more tightly held than at any time since crises without disorder or violence, and now that They have held meetings at every mission station | bor. It is understood that Lord Wolseley or Sir individual slavery died out in Europe. The peace is restored, and the dangers which were so on their route inland -Daily News Correspon - Frederick Roberts succeeds Sir Donald as Commander-in-Chief.

> THE LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP. Madras, 20th July. The Lawn Tennis championship of England was decided on the 14th inst., W. Renshaw beating Lawford by three to one.

THE RUSSIAN MOVEMENTS ON THE FRONTIER London, 15th July, Evening. at Mery and Pul-i-Khisti. Lord Randolph prompt and generous action, in supplying special it has come recently in torrents, and if the skies Churchill, replying to a question, said that rumour had reached Col. Ridgeway that the observing their condition, to understand the Russian troops in the neighbourhood of Zulfikar have been increased, but to what extent is uncertain. Capts. Peacock and Yate have gone to Herat, whither the Boundary Commission is

ST. PETERSBURG, 19th July. The Russian press, commenting on the movements of the Russian troops, state that for a time under the sustaining force of a strong they were due to fours at head-quarters that passion, but not permanently. While the system Afghan attacks on the Russian positions were about to be renewed.

RUSSIA TO HAVE MERUCHAK. LONDON, 20th July. equalize her domands regarding the Zulficar

VIOLATION OF PERSIAN TERRITORY. MESHED (vid Teneran), 12th July. The Meshed Persian territory between Chahe and Sarraks is regularly used for the advance

of Russian reinforcements. It is reported that the Persians have protested against this violation of their territory. Near Sarraks a traveller met a convoy of seventy camels laden with ammunition. The convoy was escorted by Russians who were apparently fatigued. Reinforcements are continuing to pass towards Sarraks. The passes pening on the Tejend plain from Khorassan appears not unlikely that one of the chief causes have been secured to their mouths by the Rus-

Increasing irritation is being expressed Khorassan at Russian aggression. The British Consul's clerk was liberated after

being flogged with the cat and threatened with death. The man was cruelly treated and forced to labour because he refused to admit statements and make confessions which the Russians bullied him to admit. Indications of an agressive in- giment and troop to troop, until the people are tention on the frontier are numerous. SEVERE EARTHQUARS IN CALCUTTA. geived had life been made reasonably comfortable MADRAS, lath July.

There was a severe shock of earthquake in Calcutta on Tuesday morning, throwing people

lady belonging to the best society of Dallas. A friend meeting him shortly afrer his marriage | Suppose it took the law into its own hands—this congratulated him on his happy fortune. "It's huge, steel-clad, fire-breathing monster? After all right, but I had to make sacrifices," replied all, it sprang from the bosom of the much tried the newly made husband; shaking his head. poor, and thither will the men go back when What sacrifices ?" "I had to give up going their term of service is over. There can surely to bed with my boots and spurs on when I came be no confidence felt in a force composed An Aden correspondent of the Englishman, is much confidence felt. When the Army

EUROPEAN ARMAMENTS.

The Statistical Society is celebrating its calls bye-and-bye. They had made these calls to Jubilee. But, amidst the variety of its labours, we carry on the tobacco crop of 1885; and he was glad | do not remember that the Society has at any time to say that this was going on as successfully as attempted to calculate what the cost to Europa is. they could wish. They had all read the report, directly and indirectly, of our present bloated armawhich contained an extract from a letter of Mr. monts. Ever since the return of a Bonaparte to Gibson's dated the "1st June, and since then they France Europe has gradually been growing had received another letter from Mr. Gibson, dated | more and more of an armed camp, and every war which has broken out since 1850 has increased "I am glad to be able to report well of our pro- the disposition of the Great Powers to rely on gresshere. The tobacco commonces to grow very their big battalions. The process of civiliwell, and the weather is all I could desire. We sation has been put back, and its future ren-Continuing, the Chairman said the prospects | the victors and the desire of the vanquished for of the company of course depended entirely upon revenge seem to have increased. The wars of the success of the tobacco. They had received the last thirty years have not been peace-giving altogether about Tls. 87,900, of which they had, wars, but merely opisodes in a bitter strife bewritten off Tls. 34,000. This Tls. 34,000 incluit. | tween races, creeds, and Powers, the end of which ed all preliminary expenses and everything, so no man can foresee. In Europe, everythingthat they started their tobacco estate clear. The thrones, institutions, civilisation, religion itselfbalance, of about Tls. 54,000, included the value appears at times to bein danger of engulfment by of all the land, and the survey fees expended upon | the all-pervading military spirit which is slowly Their only difficulty ahead seemed to be eating the life's energy out of more than about going on next year, and this they would one great nation. The cost of this sort of peace have to discuss later on. Mr. Gibson's letter is becoming too much for the world to endure. said-that in another month it would be necessary Perhaps that is, in some respects, the best thing ing the arrangement that had been made, and to commence felling for next year's crop, but about the situation. It makes possible the hope finding that half the goods had not been taken beyond that he balieved the expanses of the 1886 | that, one of these days, necessity and a revival of common sense among nations may bring about a general reduction in this lamentable and destructive waste of resources. In money alone Europe spends, in keeping up its armaments, more than twice the Imperial income that England raises from taxes. France devotes about one-fourth of her entire revenue, or considerably more than thirty million pounds, every year to her Army and Navy; England spends from twenty-five to thirty millions, and Germany twenty millions or Report; and Accounts for the half-year ending so. Italy and the Austro-Hungarian Empire contrive to make away with from ton to twelve Mr. Rivington seconded the motion, and it millions each, and Russiancknowledges to a larger outlay than that of Gormany. If we add the expenditure of Spain, Holland, Belgium, and cording to rule, but offered themselves for re- such like countries, it will be found that the election, with the exception of ir. Dueth, and money disbursed in Europe every year for keep-Mr. Rivington offered himself for election in ling the peace does not full much short of one

But that gives little or no idea of the true

some of them the rate of wages, measured both by the amount paid in figures and the purchasing power of the money, is not, for the masses of the people, more on the average than five lings it follows that our working population the maintenance of peace less than the Italian peasantry, for instance, feel the weight of their country's nominally much smaller total devoted it makes upon their slender earnings is the military bondage contributing to drive the peasantry of the Continent to despair. The armies of the six leading Powers of Europe millions of able-bodied men from the ordinary occupations of life. "Most of these men are in The missionaries of the China Inland Mission | nese shareholders with regard to the accounts, the flower of their youth, large numbers of and amongst the officers are many men of the highest intellectual capacity. All these people contribute nothing whatever to the reproductive wealth of the community. On the contrary, they live upon its vitals and reduce its strength, so that the mere moriey payments become the smallest part of the hardship the workers have to undergo in order that the earth may resound with the tramp of armed men. It is impossible to travel on the Continent without being painfully struck passion for soldiery is carried. Men in military uniform swarm everywhere, and are everywhere the dominating element of society. Yet they The new 3 per cent. Indian Loan was at 14 feed upon the life's blood of the civilisation they are supposed to guarantee en permanence, and the consequences are increasing poverty among the masses, and the spread of discontent and Sir Robert J. Loyd Lindsay, member for lawlessness. The people do not know always, perhaps seldom know; what exactly is the matter with thom; but hunger and rags and utter poverty are familiar to them, and they grow mutinous in sheer despair. Instead of quiet to pursue his own business, a man is now should be filed a few days before the hearing page of the daily steamer traffic, and the paralyz- accompanied by a dozen or more friends, came to has been raised to the Peerage by the title of troubled on all hands and every day with the noise as if of an approaching battle. No wonder that capital can find no employment any more than hands. Wealth is decaying at the root, because of the canker-worm that is enting it away. A great grary makes its masters on towards conflicts, and adds new weight to the shackles by which the wealth-producer is in these weight of the debts which the nations carry should, in strict accuracy, be mostly added to those other burdens which spring from the military system, for they are largely the product of wars. But the picture of distress which would in that case be disclosed is indescribable. In one or two respects, perhaps, we have some inkling of it in this country, but the misery in England is small and local compared to that which pre-Considerable Russian reinforcements arrived vails in France and Italy, and even in Garmany. The load is too heavy for the back that has to hear it is all those countries, and it is easy, in attitude of mind which sighs for a great war-"any war would be better than this blood-drain-

> in vogue is oppressive. A nation may endure it is submitted to, moreover, it becomes increasing ly difficult to control. Three millions of men with arms in their hands cannot, in other words, for any length of time, or by any device known The Standard publishes a paragraph stating to man, be kept from fighting. We should, that Eussia will receive Meruchak in order to therefore, be inclined to say that if diplomacy were able to curb the military spirit for some years, so as to shut it in upon itself, the fashion of huge standing armies would begin to grow obnoxious to some even of those now most enthusiastic in their bohalf .- But that view is probably too Utopian. It may be impossible for Earope to reduce its armed hordes to the proportions requisite for morely maintaining order at home. In that case war will be the beginning of great changes in the social constitution of European peoples-changes amid which many things would disappear besides the standing armies. From this point of view, indeed, it which have led to the outgrowth of the present The positions thus obtained are important swollen military organisations is the dread of impending social movements. In England, a political evolution of this kind is in progress. but here nobody is particularly afraid of the lengths to which it may go. Abroad, the feeling is altogether different. Either the Bureaucracy as in France, or that and the military organisations combined, as in Germany and Russia, dread the advent of change, and, in the desperate do-

sire to render all secure, add regiment to re-

stripped bare and driven headlong towards aims

far more dangerous than they would have con-

From whatever point of view we look at it,

then, the burden entailed by the militarism now

ing armed neace."

for them. Whatever else may be destined weather the storm of the future, this fashion neath the frightful pressure it casts upon them, and Governments are putting their very existence in peril. The drain of labour and men and means A Texas cattle man married a refined young is so great already that in countries like Russia the Army becomes a terror to its nomine! heads... thus, and there never, in point of fact, writing on the 22nd June, says .- A couple of becomes discontented and weary of the rust hours or so after my last letter left the of idleness, so that it turns its thoughts Turquoise and Reindeer returned from their inwards upon the state of the country-when slightest trace having been found of her. She in life-it is time to launch him at the foc. But must have gone down hodily, as not a single death and "glory" answer the purpose, at best, boat or plank belonging to her has been found, only for a little while, and after each application The Turquoise went to Obok after visiting of this cure the soldier who survives comes back Perim, and there found three French men of to a deeper degree of misery in the home of his Aden harbour. When, however, the "calamite" man does not require to believe in the millenwas explained, they too started in search. One nium and the universal brotherhood of nations am busy now holeing for, coffee, and in a few days there was a passenger from Obok, one of the from the crushing burden they entail. The officials of the place coming to Adea on duty. doubtful point is whother the change will come The directors retire in accordance with the deed of settlement, and with the exception of Mr. Daeth, who foundered, a boat or two was found, and four until that doubt is solved one way or another men were picked up and taken to Perim. These the sleep of European Statesmen will be broken

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	packages tea. From Fooshow to Continent— 482 packages tea. From Matao and Canton to London and Continent—1,940 lbs. sorts, 100,986	For Further Particulars apply to  E. CASSUM
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	to Continent—126 bales raw silk. From Shang- hat to London—301 bales raw silk. For Con- tinent—414 bales raw silk. From Japan to	FIRE PROOF SA  DEED OR BULLION SA imported Churc's Locks D
	London—10 bales raw silk. For Continent— 67 bales raw silk. From Canton to London—80 bales waste silk. From Shanghai to London—	Keys. Size of Safe 60" by 46" by 2 J. M. ARMST
	70 bales waste silk. From Canton to London—4 cases silk piece goods. For Continent—9 cases silk piece goods. From Shanghai to London—	Hongkong, 24th July, 1885.  FOR SALE.
	7 cases silk piece goods. For London—30 packages aundries. For Continent—5 packages aundries.	CHAMPAGNE "MONOI
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N. THURSDAY, the 6th day of August 1895, at Noon, the Company's Starragio MELECURNE," Commandant Main, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIA, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above don as well as for Marseilles, and accorded in transit through Marseilles for the principal Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 rate on the 5th on the 4th, and may be expected here on the 10th August, 1885. (Parcels are not to be sent instat. on board; they must be left at the Agency's

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Agent.

Hongkong, 25th July, 1285.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

for PACIFICMAILSTEAMSHIPCOMPANY. (Postal Guide, par. 159). THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

PEKING" will be despatched for San Francisco, vià Yokohana, on SATURDAY, the 8th August, at THREE P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States boye portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, is the only authorized complete Summary of to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities | Postal information published in Hongkong.

of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports 1262 in Mexico, Central and South America, by the delayed (both of which are liable to happen Company's and connecting Steamers.

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tion Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 7th August Parcel Packages will be recoived at the Office until 5 P.M. same day all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Company's Offices

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Hongkong, 30th July, 1885. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA. AND EUROPE:

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING

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Hongkong, 15th July, 1885.

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FOR NEW YORK. HE 3/3 L. I.I. American Ship

"R. E. WOOD." Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. 1324

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morning of the 7th instant... THE AMERICAN MAILS. The O. & O. steamer, San Pablo, with the next American mail, left Yokohama on the 30th July, and is due here on or about the 6th Au-

The Q. & O. steamer Oceanic, with the succoording American mail, left San Francisco on the 21st July, and is due here on or about the 20th August.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The Union Line steamer Althacraig left Singapore on the 1st, and is due here on the 7th

instant. The Union Line steamer Harter left Singa-Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon- pore on the 2nd, and is due here on the 8th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Telemachus left Singapore on the morning of the 3rd, and is due

hore on the 9th instant. The D. D. R. stenmer Lydia left Singapore

## POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

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The Postal Guide for 1885, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans | p. 393 large edition, p. 657 small edition. This

When Correspondence has been mis-sent or occasionally) all that the addresses need do is to Through Passage Tickets granton to England, note on the cover. Sent to \_\_\_\_\_, or Received France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines | at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever, to the RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have Postmaster-General. This should be setted on paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco | the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six mistake to let such matters pass for fear of months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from giving trouble, a course which generally gives

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A MATE WILL CLOSE. For Amoy and Shanghai .- Per Sarpedon, to-day, the 5th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Swatow and Amoy.—Per Atholl, to-day, the 5th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Mongkut to-day, the 5th instant, at 1.30 P.M.

For Hollow and Hailong.-Per Wahyeung, to-day, the 5th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Bangkok.—Per Danube, to-morrow, the 6th inst., at 1.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.—Per Diamante, tomorrow, the 6th instant, at 4.30 P.M.

For Foochow, Port Darwin, Thursday Island. Cooktown Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, and Melbourne.-Per Timor, on Friday, the 7th inst., at 3.30 P.M.

For Haifeng .- Per Activ. on Saturday, the 8th inst., at 5.00 p.m MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Contract Packet Melbourns wille despatched on THURSDAY, the 6th August with Mails for the United Kingdom; Eurone, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Salgon Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmak, Coylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Maita and Hibraitar. The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of Poking will be despatched on SATURDAY, the

8th August, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:— 2.15 r.m., Registry ceases. 2.30 P.M., Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with

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MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing

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ing of all printed matter and patterns ceases. .00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 conts until 3.30 p.m.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 8.40 p.m.—Late Letters may be posted on board

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### EXTRACT.

BEING AND DOING. We are not here to feel, nor yet to know To do is the essential thing, below. The grandest poems are the noblest deeds. The groutest post does not rhyme, but bleeds. When one poor mortal struggles for the light And suffers for the sales of what is right, Sublime as is the universal scene. The day is little and the night is mean. The deepest science and the highest art Are glow-worms, and the noon-day snn-the hear And all the glory of the world above Is only bravery and only love. -The Current.

THE STORY OF A FAMILY FEUD. Japan, under the nominal sovereignty of the Emperor Reigen Tenno, enjoyed for the first time in the course of several conturies a lastcountry of which the national genius was witnessed. not slow to avail itself. Tales which the unsettled rature of the times before had stifled in their growth began to re-appear under higher auspices, and although the yoke of the Tokugawa was harsh, and genius was cramped by the severity of official censorship, still scope enough was left for much good work, and many were the legends and romances till then only known by oral tradition which at this period assumed definite

popular writers.

of the national principle of clan, family, and individual bond. Dating from remote times, and recognized in theory, if not always in the eyes of both sexes followed him ap- only £20,000, and Dickens himself, with all gentry, the Vendetta existed down to quite recent times as an unwritten code with all the force of written law, having rules careful limitation but rigid application. general practice it was laid down as the duty in many cases on his position in the clan, in the village of Sumiyoshi, where the night being attended with loss of income and status Ishii Uyemon found himself in Osaka. in the clan. The reason for this distinction children became outcasts, and the family, in the Vendetta constituted a means of reinstating the murdered man's heirs in the position they had formerly occupied. Thus il a samurai fell under the assassin's knife the duty of executing the Vendetta devolved upon his sidest son. If successful, the family honour was vindicated and the son succeeded to the position occupied by his father; but neglect to perform the obligation was nunished by forfeiture of pension and status. Should be die in the attempt to avenge his father's death his children were of the same penalties in case of default, but the performance of the Vendetta was not "long leave" was a final separation.

One summer's day, in the year 1763, the and groups of labourers occupied in clearing | Ishii protested against this reception of his and levelling might have been met at every well-meant advice. "It was for your sake of a courier the day before, who had an son?" But Yukan's blood was up, and he ford of Inaba would pass through on his way length yielded, and meeting Gengoyemon, to Osaka. The mayors heard the message easily proved his own superiority and the with reverence, and passed it on to the heads truth of his warning. Gengoyemon felt his of wards, by whom it was communicated to defeat keenly, and being naturally pasthe leading householders; and as we have sionate, and accustomed to have his own seen, preparations were at once made for the way in everything, he brooded over his name from the province of Inaba.

high road along which the Baron's train was who had lowered him in his own and to come never perhaps looked botter and father's estimation. To decide upon a course dustier than on this occasion, when the good of action with him was to carry it out. folk of both town and village were on the one dark night, a week after the bout of qui vive expecting the arrival of the proces- arms which revealed Gengovemon's want of audible lap of the waves on the shore, the clothes stealing cautiously along to take up monotonous drone of the cicada in the fir a position in the angle of a wall near the trees which shaded the road at sadly long house of Uyemon, from which he could watch intervals, or the lazy scream of a kite as it unperceived the movements of the inmates. circled overhead. The road looked hot in- This figure was the fencing master's son. length over the rich rice plain to the north wind found its way within the loose folds of its way through dingy suburbs into the town | than once inclined to abandon his project of whiter than ever as it emerged once more rapidly getting stiff with the cold. Hi and was gradually lost on the horizon in obstinacy was at length gratified by seeing

The Baron's train left Akashi in the the house and proceed at a brisk pace in the morning and was to reach Hidgo in time for direction of the Baron's residence, it being the noonday starta, a luxury of which the the hour for his duty. Another five minute Baron was not sixely to deprive himself, even of watching and Uyemon bimself ap sared when on the march. The tedious etiquette followed by a single attendant, and disapof those days demanded practuality, and at peared down a side lane. Geogovemon the appointed time the patience of the crowd watched him as long as be was in sight, and of spectators was rewarded by the sight of a then looking cautiously round to see that he

distant cloud of dust which told of the ap- was not followed, he crept on tiptoe into the proach of the procession, and soon after the house. Once inside he made his way to the front ranks entered the outskirts of the town room which he knew was occupied /by the loud criss of "down," "down," saw each ing a cross-pointed spear which was hanging definance at the two grooms who restrained He had just time to do this when the sound his eager movements; saw the palanquin in of footsteps on the gravel path warned him which reclined the Baron, scanning with of the approach of his victim. The footstops well-bred indifference the bent heads on came nearer and nearer. A moment more each side; saw the standards of flags with and Uyemon's foot was on the threshold. He their bearers, the men-at-arms in ranks of was n'w in full view of the assassin, who archers, swordsmen, and lastly the chef do thrust the spear deep into his side. The the procession. When the cortege had passed, funcer to draw the assassin within his reach; Towards the close of the 17th century together with a feeling of regret that there but in so doing the cross-piece of the was no more to be seen, came a sense of spear point entered his side, and with a deep ing peace. The quiet times which replaced their various duties and household occupa- his senses, a sweeping sword slash from the the turmoil and insecurity of preceding years tions; cay, more, they had the materials for same hand stretched him senseless across the gave opportunities for the development of many an after-evening's gossip Anent the body of his master, and the dealer of the the literary and artistic resources of the various features of the gay pageant they had blow dashed past him and disuppeared in the

and well advanced in years, his figure still Uyemon and his attendant,-(To be conretained much of the supple grace of youth, | tinued ) and though he was far from being handsome, his face was pleasing and intelligent. shape under the sympathetic handling of Add to this that his dress and appointments were in perfect taste, and it will be un sfter all. He had £150,000 when he died. The Vendetta in Japan was the expression derstood why he showed to advantage by But this is better than most of our great the side even of those who surpassed him in men. Tennyson may prove to have been stature and good looks, and how it was that | richer than his brothren; but Thackeray had practice, as the peculiar privilege of the provingly as be stepped along behind his the money of his two American reading

lord's norimono. of the day was over, and a southerly breeze | who will live for ever gets less than a lucky was stirring the waters of the bay into speculator-not to speak of the Boss of an playful ripples, the train, resuming its American ring. of a samurai to avenue the death of his journey, wound its way out of the town parent or lord, but while in the latter case across the sandy flat occupied by the fishing the obligation was optional, and depended hamlet of Kobe, and along the seashore to the former case it was compulsory, neglect was passed, and on the following morning It was no pleasure trip which took the

is obvious. By the ancient law affecting lord of Inaba to that city. Osaka then, as samurai-which, in the case of the murder now, the great mart of the country, was of the Regent Li Kamon no Kami, was Crown property, and the office of Governor evaded by a fiction invented for the occasion was entrusted in rotation to certain nobles -the death of a samurai by assussination | for a fixed term of years, at the end of which involved the forfeiture of the murdered they could return to their own estates. It man's rank, and the confiscation of his was this duty which had now devolved upon estates, if he had any, to the Crown. His the muster of Eshii Uyemon, and much as he disliked leaving his own people and his fact, ceased to exist. But the privilege of country seat, he had no option but to obey the summons which called him from his nome occupations to administer the affairs of a city of merchants in which he had not a single interest.

The etainer had no such regrets. For him the change was agreeable in every way. Originally brought up in the neighbourhood of the Capital, it was a pleasure to revisit old haunts, and for the sake of his family of was glad to be in a part of the country which mercial activity.

obligatory on the next of kin. Such a thing event in those days. The Court of every fortunate enough to be thrown in his way. as return after failure was unknown. The Noble had its following of dependents and His rooms at Oxford were a menagerie, in luckless samurai who had dared to return hangers-on, from the scholar and artist down which snakes, adders, marmots, and squirrels with the duties of the Vendetta unfulfilled to the strolling actor and the vendor of abounded. Among his other favourites were would probably have met with the same fate small wares, and the change of Governors a tame eagle, a monkey, and a bear. On one at the hands of his indignant comrades as was thus a time of anxiety to many who occasion his marmots escaped and took his unavenged parent; or, failing such ex. feared to lose the patronage already enjoyed possession of the Chapter House, unfortuntreme measures, ignominious expulsion from -of hope to others, who, having failed to ately, too, on the morning when the Chapter the clan is the least that would have awaited secure any of the places in the old Court, had to meet. The eagle not unfrequently bim. Before starting on a Vendetta it was looked for better luck under the new order- got into the chapel and insisted upon being customary for a samurai to ask leave of his of things. Ishii, in his position as a pro- present during divine service. It was aplord, and the permission thus asked for was minent member of the body-guard, was parently by no means the most disorderly called "nagano itomuz," or the "long leave;" marked out by an eager crowd of place- member of the congregation. One morning for the duration of the Vendetta was quite hunters as a proper person to solicit for a Buckland gave a grand breakfast to hisuncertain, and it being within the discretion share of the patronage of the new Governor. "chures," but unfortunately that very mornof the "avenger of blood" to take service Foreinost of those who besieged him with ing the marmots, who had been hibernating under another master at the conclusion of applications, and distinguished from the rest in the collar, thewed out, and insisted upon the Vendetta, it often happened that the by an air of faded gentility, was an ex-doctor being of the party. They run about the Considering, therefore, the importance in up to the medical profession, his practice dishes in a way that thoroughly horrified which this remarkable institution was held, had never been extensive. For some reason the guests. Once when he was travelling it is not surprising to find in a large pro. or other his boluses and prescriptions were through Germany in a night coach, full of portion of the tales of the period to which I not to the taste of the Osaka public, and he sleeping travellers, some tree frags which he have referred a succession of incidents at length decided to exchange the peaceful had collected and enclosed in a bottle broke grouped round the same central point of calling of curing human diseases for the out into shrill song, and awoke the indignant interest, which is invariably the Vendetta, somewhat antagonistic profession of fencing. | Germans. Buckland had discovered that The following is an adaptation of one of It was therefore in the capacity of a master shaking the bottle kept the frogs quiet, and these Vendetta tales. As a story, it lacks of spear-feucing that he called upon Ishii so he had to stay awake the rest of the night many of the picturesque features of the Uyemon; and the latter at length yielded in order to keep his pets in good order. On "Forty-seven Ronins," nor are the incidents to his importunities and placed him in a another occasion he carried with him a bottle perhaps so characteristic of the spirit of temple in a quarter of the town called of red slugs. During the night everyone in samurai chivalry as those in the tale of the Temmacho, whence he visited his patron the coach slept. But when Buckland awoke adventures of Miyamoto Musashi, referred to frequently. Being gifted with considerable be saw a detachment of the red slugs by M. Dautremer in his admirable resume of powers of conversation, he soon ingratiated crawling leisurely over the shining scalp of Japanese Vendetta. As an illustration, how- himself with Ishii, and in course of time their a baldheaded gentleman fast asleep on the ever, of the tenacity of purpose with which acquaintance ripened into friendship. Yukan, opposite bench. Clearly the cork had come a Vendetta was executed it may well, I think, being an old man and childless, had adopted out of his bottle, and the slugs had profited be ranked with other tales of the same class; his cousin Gengoyemon, a young man who by their opportunity. The naturalist had -in default of a better term I have called it | idled his time away in vicious pursuits and, not the courage to face the denouement. He 

important neighbour the market town of an occasion which under the growing in the affair between them. Hidgo showed signs of unusual bustle and timacy between them had of late become activity. The clatter of clogs, the opening | frequent-Ishii, who had long sought an and closing of shutters; and the busy hum opportunity of warning Yukan of the exof voices in all keys, from deepest bass to casses of his son, remarked to the fencingshrillest treble, betokened that something of master that Gengoyemon was but a poor universal interest was about to happen, and hand at fencing and would find it hard to that something not of everyday occurrence, succeed his father as a teacher of the art. Messengers continually passed each other at Yukan took the remark in bad part and full speed between the hamlet and the town, challenged Ishii to have a bout with his soft. turn of the road. The unusual stir in this I spoke," he added. " What match is a man neighbourhood was connected with the arrival of my years for a young fellow, like your nounced in grandiloquent language that the pressed his patron so strongly that he at reception of the august dignity who took his discomfiture until his desire for revenge drowned every other feeling in his breast, Little breeze was stirring, and the skill, anyone baving a reason to loiter in the drower eilence of a bot summer's day was neighbourhood of Uremon's house might only broken by the regular though scarcely have observed a figure dressed in dark deed; hot as it stretched its long white The night was cold, and as the searching of the castle of the Straits, hot as it worked his inner garment, Gengeyemon felt more of Hiogo and crawled out again past the revenge for that night at least. But the neighbouring village and away over a long evil spirit in him whispered that to draw stretch of yellow sand, which absorbed the back now was to lose such a chance as might sun's heat only to throw it back with greater never occur again. So he wrapped his only intensity; cool for a moment as it disappear- garment tightly round him and crouched ed in the beautiful grove which shades the with his back against the wall, trying to Sumiyoshi shrine, but botter and dustier and ignore the fact that his feet and hands were curves following the windings of the Bay. Uyemon's eldest son, Sannojo, come out of

and filed slowly through the streets to the Uyemon's second son. Hikoshichich was quarters set apart for the noble guest. The saleep, so Gengoyemon carefully closed the townspeople, as they knelt in chedience to door of his room on the outside. Then seizdetail of the procession as it swept past; saw up in the passage, he concealed himself in the Baron's charger as it plunged by, snorting the porch, lying in wait for Uyemon's return. cuisine, with his troop of scullions and wounded mandrew his sword, and grasping the kitchen-attendants, which closed the rear of spear bandle, tried with the instinct of an old relief to the kneeling crowd that for them groan he fell dead on the doorstep. Before the affair was over. They could return to the horror-stricken attendant could collect darkness. Hikoshichiro, roused by the noise of the struggle, had sprung up only to find Amongst the many retainers of the Baron his door secured on the outside, and when at who had figured in the procession few had last he succeeded in forcing his way out found more favour in the eyes of the by- through the chamber partition there was no standers than one of the body guard named. sign of the assassin, though the traces of the Ishii Uyemon Masaharu. Of middle stature deed were fresh enough in the bodies of

VICTOR HUGO'S WEALTH. Victor Hugo was not so immensely rich

tours, had only £100,000. Hugo beats his Towards sundown, when the great heat of | English compeers, therefore, though even he AN EAGLE RIVETER. This is the sort of thing the readers of Newkaven Pilladium have to put up with:-"Some weeks ago two eagles killed a gaoso on the farm of Warren Wheeler, in the

Adirondacks, but for some reason did not carry the carcass away. Using the goose for bait, and procuring seven steel traps, the farmer awaited the birds' return. One was at once caught in the trap. To the surprise of the watchers the other eagle immediately set about unriveting the steel jaws with its beak, emitting all the while a chrill, thumping sound as of a blacksmith at his forge. Soon the steel trap was loosened, when the men, rushing on the noble bird which had released its comrade, clubbed it to death. On its neck was a leaster, medal, showing that it had once been captive for seven years in a cage in the blacksmith shop of John Bugg, whence it had evidently picked up its acquaintance with chilled steel."

STRANGE COMPANIONS. The life of Frank Buckland, by Mr. Bornnas, contains stories innumerable, some six children who were fast growing up, he of which are full of humour, while others make one's flesh oreep. There was nothing was as much the seat of learning and polite in the way of animal life which made bound to prosecute the Vendetta, under pain accomplishments as it was the centre of com- Buckland shudder, or inspired him with any feeling of repulsion. So much could not The arrival of a new Governor was a great always be said for the people who were unnamed Akabori Yukan. Originally brought breakfast table and in and out among the waited patiently till the next stage was One day, when Ishii and the fencing. reached and then beat a retreat, leaving the little fishing village of Kôbé and its more master were sitting together drinking tea slugs and the baldheaded gentleman to settle

THERESA, THE LION TAMER: A CONVERSATION. " But do you not shrink from a life such as this you are leading? Every day risking a terrible death?" "No," she answered, "I like it. I like to feel my mastery over the | king of beasts. I know that he hungers for my flesh, and pants for my blood, and I am defenceless. A little scratch with his claw, a stroke of his foot, and I am lost. But I have a human soul, and a will stronger than bis; he knows it, and cowers before me." Mr. Templer looked at her with wonder. "It | Kinng, ping is a fact," he said, " that every woman loves conquest." "Every woman," she answered. " has power to gain victories so long as she Amoy is mistress over her own heart." Next day Chanderesgor he was again present at an exhibition. He could not keep himself away. He went to Ningpo the menagerie, and stood near the cage. He Ta Lee saw ber enter; her eye met bis. She smiled, and the pretty dimples formed in the corners The day was fine and sultry, and the ancient and he determined to take the life of the man lion's mane bristled, and he began to claw at Mary An of her mouth. At the same moment the California the boards of his cell floor in an augry, impatient manner. Her eye had been off him. Soochow and her power failed, but only for a moment, She recovered her attention, and concentrated it on the brute; met his red eye with calm resolute look, and beckoned him to her feet, Caroline He hesitated, turned aside, and walked round Claro Babuyan July 14 W. Brown the den, thrusting his body against the sides, Mary Stewart eyeing her covertly, and growling, and showing his white teeth. She followed, Satsuma never allowing bim to escape her firm eye, and pointed to her feet. Then he turned himself round, and sulkily, protestingly, sneaked to the place indicated. She knelt Helena by him, and laid her arm and head on his Minua mane, but thrust the other hand through | Wagrien the bars and said to Mr. Templer, "Feel my pulse." He took the delicate wrist between his fingers, and counted. The pulse Chinetah was at a hundred and twenty. When the F. N. Thaver exhibition was over, she said to Mr. Tem- Meridian pler, "I pray you, do not be present again, Sea Swallow You unnerve me. When I am in the eage. I must think of nothing and no one but the king. He is a jealous master, and unless he has all my thoughts he will tear me." "Good Charger heavens, Theresa!" exclaimed be. "I cannot Queen Emma bear to think of this. I dreamt of you last Pactolus night, and woke in terror, imagining the end Terpsichore had come." "It will come some day. This is the fate of us all. Mother came off better than most, with a broken thigh. Did you count my pulsations?" "Yes," "Then you can judge what the excitement is, with | Wallace Kozaki Maru.

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